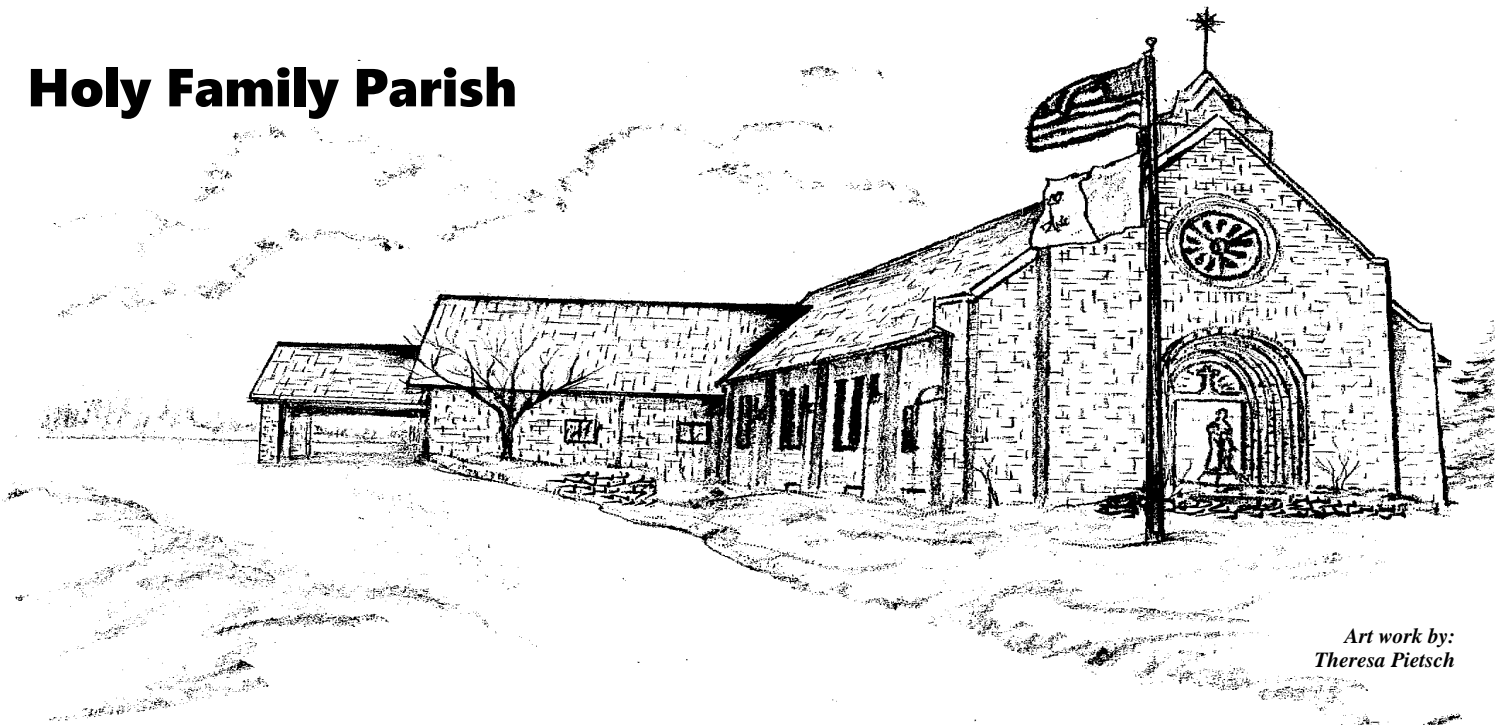


Holy Family Parish



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Epiphany of the Lord – January 5, 2020

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Sacrament of Marriage

Notice of six months is required

REQUIREMENT FOR SACRAMENTS

The basic requirement for the sacraments of First Communion, Confirmation and Marriage is that you be a practicing Catholic. One parent must be a practicing Catholic to present a child for Baptism

Sacrament of Baptism

Please notify the pastor during the pregnancy in order to schedule sacramental instruction, if necessary.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 3:00 to 3:30 P.M.

7:15 am - 7:45 am and 5:15 pm – 5:45 pm

before daily Mass or by appointment

Sacrament of the Sick

The sacrament is for anyone you know who has any continuing or serious illness, or is having surgery and would like to celebrate this healing sacrament.

Mass Schedule for Jan. 6th thru Jan. 12th

Monday.....8:00 A.M.....Bob Sauers

Tuesday.....**11:00 AM**Funeral Mass for Joe Gareau

6:00 P.M......Tom Judson

Wednesday....8:00 A.M.....Jim Gascon

Thursday.....8:00 A.M.....Rock Miron

Friday.....8:00 A.M.....Lori Clark

Saturday.....4:00 P.M.....Larry Beauchamp

Sunday.....8:00 A.M.....For the People of our Parish

10:00 A.M.....Patrick Hughes

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We will strive to imitate the Holy Family: by being a loving, welcoming, and forgiving community – fully alive in the Spirit of God; by teaching our children the Gospel way of life and encouraging them always to share fully in the life of our parish; by celebrating the Liturgy as a joyful remembrance of our Lord’s Sacrifice for us; by being a family of prayer; by respecting all life, and by having our arms open always to embrace the sick and needy.

HEAVY SNOWFALL BLIZZARD CONDITIONS

When the Gladstone Schools are closed because of heavy snowfall or blizzard conditions, all church activities (Mass being the only exception) for the day and evening are cancelled.

READERS: Jan. 11th – 12th

Sat. at 4:00 PM – Lori Tourangeau

Sun. at 8:00 AM – Amy Smith

10:00 AM – Rosemary Beauchamp

MASS SERVERS: Jan. 11th – 12th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. - Eli Gardner & Wanda Chenier

Sun. at 8:00 A.M. - Tyler & Eric Smith

10:00 AM - Joshua & Marcus Racine

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF COMMUNION: Jan. 11th – 12th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Debbie Nolde

Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Beverly Plimpton

10:00 AM – Gerald Miron

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY: Jan. 11th – 12th

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Any two men attending Mass

Sun. at 8:00 AM – Ron Germain & Brian Smith

10:00 AM – Harold Young & Alfred Gareau

from your pastor

After years of study and other preparations, Robert Berbohm, a longtime member of Holy Family Parish, will receive the Sacrament of Holy Orders as he is ordained a Deacon. The Ordination, to which we are all invited, will take place this Friday, 10 January 2020, at Saint Peter Cathedral in Marquette at 3:30 p.m.

Of the three Holy Orders, the diaconate, is the foundational order. Every priest and bishop begin as a deacon. The Order of Deacons is marked by charity and a particular care for the poor. Bob’s long years of service with the Saint Vincent de Paul Society marked him as possessing the “stuff” of which deacons are made. It seems only right that he would make application to the Bishop of Marquette for acceptance into the diaconate preparation program and so live out in the Order of Deacons his charity and concern for the poor.

Bob recently accepted of the post of faith formation director at Holy Name Catholic School. Thus he has embarked on a new adventure, sharing the fruit of his study forming the next generation of Catholic faithful. Until the recent merger with the All Saints Faith Formation Program, Bob faithfully prepared the Confirmation Candidates from here at Holy Family in Flat Rock. In addition, the Berbohms, Bob and his wife Karen, are active in the instruction of parish couples preparing for marriage.

These are exciting days for our parish and for the Berbohm family. Let us pray that Bob continues to grow in Charity, Faith and Hope in the grace of Holy Orders.

Oremus pro invicem

THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY

Mon.	Jan. 6 th	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. -	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass
Tues.	Jan. 7 th	5:15 P.M. - 6:00 P.M. -	Confessions until 5:45 PM Mass
Wed.	Jan. 8 th	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. - 6:30 P.M. - 6:30 P.M. -	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass CCD Classes grades 1-7 8 th & 9 th Grade CCD classes
Thurs.	Jan. 9 th	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. - 7:30 P.M. -	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass Smear League
Fri.	Jan. 10 th	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. - -----	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass Parish officed closed
Sat.	Jan. 11 th	3:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M. -	Confessions heard until 3:30 PM Mass
Sun.	Jan. 12 th	8:00 A.M. - 10:00 AM - -----	Mass Mass Coffee social after the 10:00 AM Mass to congratulate Bob Berbohm on being ordained a Deacon

St. Vincent de Paul Corner News

Today we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, where the Magi finds the newborn king and offer him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.

In the spirit of the Magi, please put your offering in the St. Vincent de Paul envelope so that comfort and peace can once again be given to a newborn child.

For more information about the Holy Family Conference contact Cindy Hurthibise at 384-6927.

*U.P. CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL....We are sooooo close. There are still **39 cards** out with a balance of **\$1,480.00 short!!!!** If you have not done so yet, please return your pledge card. We have had **SIX** parishioners up their pledges. Thank you in helping us meet our assessment. We got this!!!!*



THIS Sunday, Jan. 5th we will have a light lunch and then undecorate the church immediately after the 10:00 AM Mass. If you could spare an hour or so that would be great. The more hands the easier the job!

The poinsettia plants will be available to take after the 10:00 AM Mass this Sunday.

All parishes in the Diocese of Marquette will be taking up the 2020 Mission Collection on January 11th-12th, 2020. The Mission Collection supports the following outreach ministries to the Universal Church: The Black & Indian Missions, Catholic Home Missions, the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa, and the Propagation of the Faith Mission.

SPIRIT LIFTERS

- Jan. 5th** - Ulcers are what you get from mountain climbing over molehills.
- Jan. 6th** - Blessed are they who are pleasant to live with.
- Jan. 7th** - You can't keep trouble from coming, but you needn't give it a chair to set on.
-Old Proverb
- Jan. 8th** - When you're tired and worn at the close of the day and things don't seem to be going your way, when even your patience has come to an end, try taking time out and confide in a friend.
- Jan. 9th** - You cannot lift your children to a higher level than that on which you live yourself.
- Jan. 10th** - The Church is a workshop, not a rest home.
- Jan. 11th** - Time flies, suns rise and shadows fall. Let time go by. Love is forever.

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Looking for financial assistance with your college education? Applications are now being accepted for the 2020 Bibianne Bessette Scholarship Fund. The scholarships aid graduating high school seniors who are pursuing a college or vocational education at an accredited degree granting institution. Consideration is based on academic achievement. Applicants must complete the on-line application found at <http://www.dioceseofmarquette.org/bbscholarshiplink> and either mail an Official Transcript and ACT/SAT scores (via postal mail) to: Bessette Scholarship Fund, Diocese of Marquette, 1004 Harbor Hills Drive, Marquette, MI 49855 or email transcripts to Irene McCauley at imccauley@dioceseofmarquette.org. Applications must be received no later than March 15, 2020.

The Diocese will be sending out tax receipts to anyone who made a one time donation of \$250 or more by the end of January. If you do not receive one and need one, you may contact Wendy Negri at wnegri@dioceseofmarquette.org.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

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| <p>Monday
1 Jn 3:22—4:6
Mt 4:12-17,23-24</p> <p>Wednesday
1 Jn 4:11-18
Mk 6:45-52</p> <p>Friday
1 Jn 5:5-13
Lk 5:12-16</p> | <p>Tuesday
1 Jn 4:7-10
Mt 6:34-44</p> <p>Thursday
1 Jn 4:19—5:4
Lk 4:14-22a</p> <p>Saturday
1 Jn 5:14-21
Jn 3:22-30</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday
Is 42:1-4,6-7 Acts 10:34-38 Mt 3:13-17</p> |
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STEWARDSHIP CORNER

101 envelopes were returned Dec. 25th

Adults.....	\$3,055.00
Loose.....	540.00
Roof Fund.....	500.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society.....	18.00
Total.....	\$4,113.00

88 envelopes were returned Sunday, Dec. 29th

Adults.....	\$2,019.00
Loose.....	127.00
Fuel.....	5.00
Roof Fund.....	25.00
Mass Stipends.....	250.00
U.P. Catholic Services appeal.....	109.00
Seminary Fund.....	20.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society.....	286.00
Total.....	\$2,841.00

Escanaba Council #640 Knights of Columbus

All brother Knights are encouraged to attend their monthly meeting Monday, Jan. 13, 2020. Officers meet at 6:00 p.m. Regular meeting is at 7:00 p.m.

4th Degree Members, your monthly Assembly #507 Meeting is Wednesday, January 15, 2020, at 7:15 p.m.